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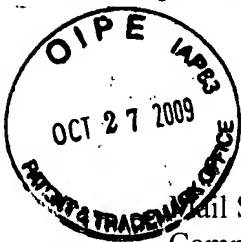
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Inventor: Belle L. Chou
Application No.: 10/719,573
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Dear Sir:

Please find enclosed the following:

- 1) A submission in reply to the final Office Action dated August 21, 2009; and
- 2) a return receipt postcard.

Sincerely,
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